# CARBONDALE.

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## MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT.

#### To Be Given at the Congregational

This Evening. An interesting musical programme will be offered tonight at the Congregational church as follows:

Recitation, "Legend of Bregenz,"
Miss M. B. Hards

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Vocal solo, "Dove's Sorraw,"
Mrz. S. Goodwin
Recitation, selected ... Miss Maud James
Cornet solo, selected, Professor Ackerman
Vocal solo, selected,
Miss Isabelle Stanton Instrumental duet, mandolin and gui-tar ..... Messrs. Leonard and Helmes Zither solo, "Dove's Dream Pantasia." Professor Crowell

Selection,
George D. Church Double quartette
Violin solo, selected... Professor Hessier
Recitation, "A Weish Classic,"
Miss Mattie Hards

Soprano solo, "The Little Beggar Girl" ......Mrs. S. Goodwin

#### FELL DOWN AN ELEVATOR SHAFT. Accident to a Member of the Neuville Company.

One of the ladies of the Neuville company. Miss Madge Bertrand, was seriinjured yesterday morning by falling a distance of about twelve feet down the elevator shaft at the Hotel American. The company, having finished their three days' engagement, were just leaving for Oneonta, N. Y. Miss Bertrand having finished break-fast about 6 o'clock, had reached the door of the elevator on the first floor. Thinking that the carriage was there she stepped into the inclosure, and at once fell to the bottom of the shaft, and struck a large timber below. When taken up she was unconscious.

A doctor, who boards at the hotel, was summened and it seemed evident that there was some internal injury. The young lady is a leading member of the company. It is not yet possible to determine the result of the accident.

#### Fire on Cliff Street.

The watchman at the head of plane 28 sounded the fire plarm on Wednesday evening. Shortly after 10 o'clock in an unoccupied house on the cliff behind the Hendrick works, owned by City Assessor John Mofflitt. There was great danger of its reaching other of the borough council of 1896. buildings, as a large tank filled with oil was near the burning building and a strong wind was blowing. But the firemen fought the flames bravely and workmen from the Hendrick works gave efficient aid. The cause of the fire is not known.

Christian and Missionary Alliance. On Wednesday afternoon and even ing carnest addresses were made by ministers of the convention who were present. Mr. Hinkey, of Binghamton, gave an instructive discourse, approlowed by Rev. Gabriel McGuire in an earnest address. Mr. McGuire will soon return to his chosen field. Much interest has been awakened by his appeals in behalf of "darkest Congo."

# Election of Officers.

Union division, No. 120, G. I. A. to the B. of L. E., have elected their officers for the ensuing year as follows: President, Mrs. R. A. Craft; vice president Mrs. T. Ball; secretary, Mrs. G. H. Dimock; treasurer, Mrs. O. E. Histed; chaplain, Mrs. S. S. Gritman; guide Mrs. O. Hudson; sentinel, Mrs. D. Wil insurance agent, Mrs. O. Hudson; planist, Mrs. A. Bank.

# Lenton Sermons at St. Rose Church.

Wednesday and Sunday evenings. ten discourse was given by Rev. T. F. my tongue shall declare Thy praise,"

# LOCAL AND PERSONAL NOTES.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Searles are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Searles and son, of Peckville, Mrs. William M. Ward, of South

Church street, is confined to her home Rev. E. J. Balsley and family will leave this morning for their new home

in Williamsport. James Flannery, of Sand street, has accepted a position at the Carbondale Steam laundry,

Mrs. A. S. Lewsley and Mrs. G. J. Benton spent yesterday in Forest City, Rees A. Price, of South Spring street, recovering from a severe attack of

the grip. The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eimer is sick with pneumonia. F. P. Brown, who has been in Pitts

burg, returned home Wednesday. Henry Siebold, of Olyphant, called on friends in this city Wednesday. C. A. Kafka has disposed of his picture framing business and stock to

Mrs. J. J. Walker and Mrs. J. R. Fleming, of Forest City, were guests at the home of J. J. Walker, Mayfield. Miss Alpha Rankin is enjoying the

W. E. Kirby.

hospitality of friends in Great Bend. Jenkin Thomas, of Nanticoke, is a Visitor in this city.

Rev. William Edgar, of Providence called on friends in town yesterday. Mrs. Walter Jackson, who underwent an operation several weeks ago, is im-

Mrs. Schleeger, of Hemlock Hollow, was called to this city by the serious

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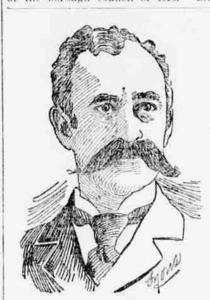
Ilness of her brother, Augustus Mon naic, of Dundaif street Mrs. Henry Box and daughter, Alice, of Forest City, are guests of the forner's sister. Mrs. F. H. Cowles, of Terrace street.

The child of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Arnold, who has been sick with bronchitis, is better.

Levi Patterson is confined to his home on Garfield avenue with an attack of

#### ARCHBALD.

An adjourned session of the borough council was held last evening. All the members were present except Mr. Kleincauer, and President Hunt presided. A bill of the Crescent Electric company amounting to \$225 was ordered paid and one of Contractor Spillane for \$25 for extra work on the foot bridge was laid over for correction. A communication from the secretary of the board of Professor Crowell health asking for the re-appointment of D. P. O'Rourke and also of some on to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of John J. Philbin was laid over until the next meeting. The bond of Treasurer Justus Bishop amounting to \$12,000 with George Bishop, H. D. Linderman, Chris. Moulter and Henry Probst, as sureties was accepted. Mr Munley suggested that there be a regular pay day for the men employed on Duet, "The Petrel's Cry." the road and it was decided to fix a time agreeable to all concerned. John I. Barrett, ex-tax collector, called the attention of the council to a balance charged against him on the auditor's reports which, he says, he does not owe. He asked the council to investigate and have some disposition made of the matter. Agreeably to his request the president appointed Wagner, Behland Philbin a committee. A bill of the Archbald Citizen amounting to \$10 for printing an ordinance of the Archbaic Fraction company created a lively, discussion. The council did not seem into the company and pay its advertising bill as well. Mr. Philbin made a motion to the effect that the Traction company be notified that if that bill as well as another advertising bill, b not paid before the next meeting of the council that measures be taken to reyoke the franchise. This motion was agreed to. Mr. Philbin also suggested that a cabinet be placed in the council com for the purpose of preserving the porough records, bills, orders and ordipances. It was decided to take means o do so Mr. Wagner called attention to a damage claim of James Johnson, of Winton, for injuries received by falling into a ditch, and the road committee was directed to ascertain in what respect the borough is liable. Mrs. James Johnson was re-appointed janitrix and the following committees were appointed: Road, Behle, Philbin, Loftus; light, Jones, Kleinbauer, Dean; water, Wag-ner, Munley, Loftus; police, Hunt, Philbin and Burgess Langan, Presilent Hunt urged the council to be careful in inspecting bills presented for payment and requested the members f the carious committees to be diligent in the work required of them. The Tribune presents today a portrait of Edward A. Jones, the president



E. A. JONES. President of Archbald Council of 1896.

Lones performed the trying duties of his office with remarkable fairness, thoroughness and fidelity and it was conceded, even by those who differed During Lent a series of sermons will with him politically, that he made a be delivered at St. Rose church on model presiding officer. Mr. Jones rep-A resented the First ward in the borough large congregation assembled on Ash council and the interests committed to Wedneshay evening when the first Len- his care by the people of that ward were carefully and conscientiously pro-Coffey. His text was as follows: tected Mr. Jones has shown by his another X-ray exhibition in the school "There wilt open my lips, O Lord, and excellent conduct as a borough official house last evening." that he is fitted for something higher and it would give pleasure to his many friends here to see him in a position better suited to his ability.

# OLYPHANT.

Yesterday morning Robert Tinsley. ne of the oldest and best known resi ients of this place, passed away at his ome on Moosic street, after a lingering illness. Deceased was about seventy years of age. He was a man of quiet and reserved manners and enloyed the esteem of a large list of acquaintances. A wife and six adult children survive him. They are: Coun-cilman William Tinsley, Amburg, Ed-

ward, David, Charles and Emma Tinsley. The funeral will take place Sun-day afterneon at 2 o'clock. Interment vill be made in Duemore cemetery. Mr. and Mrs Robert McKinley are mourning the loss of their 2-year-old on, Samuel, who died on Wednesday of membraneous croup. The funeral will take place this afternoon

#### cemetery. TRAIN JUMPED THE TRACK.

Two Persons Killed and Two Injured on the B. & O.

o'clock. Burial will be made in Union

Zanesville, O., March 4.-A Baltimore and Ohio work train jumped the track at Deep Cut, about three miles east of this city, shortly after 12 o'clock today, rolling down a 24-foot embankment, killing three men instantly and fatally injuring two others.

The dead are: John Toomey, Gus Dutton and E. P. Johns. The fatally injured are: Bill Dubois and J. H.

# The Salvation Army. Last year the Salvation Army in Lan-don provided 3.221,917 meals and 1,339,246 lodgings for poor persons. It received in pay \$190,090 and in contributions \$91,175.

QUERIES.

Oh, Cuba, pitcous sport of fate, A land of desolation; Shall men declare your luckless state Due but to your location?

And shall they say that Crete finds peace And scorns a tyrant saber, ecause she smiles on they Greece, and not a western neighbor? —Washington Star.



KING OSCAR OF SWEDEN.

The Ruler Who Will Judge the Vene-

zuelan Case.

An important figure in the Venezue-

an controversy is one of the most re-

spected monarchs in Europe, Oscar

II., King of Sweden and Norway, is a

can of 67, with a benevolent counter

nance, a full gray beard and a stalwart

figure. In his youth he was a sailor

and he still retains the bluff manners

He is the fourth sovereign of the line

of Charles Jean Bernadotte, who, by a

singular accident, was raised from the

marshal in Napoleon's army. At the

leath of Charles XIII., the parliament

of Sweden, acting under orders from

the all-powerful conqueror, chose Mar-

shal Bernadotte to succeed him, and he

ascended the throne under the name of

Charles XIV. He had wit enough to

ut aloof from the emperor when the

latter rushed on his doom, and thus a

the reconstruction which followed he retained his crown and bequeathed it

to his son, Oscar I. That politic mon

arch managed to keep out of the Schleswig-Holstein dispute, and re-

tained the good will of both Prussia

and Denmark; so he died at peace with all men, though sorely stricken in body.

n the year 1859. He was succeeded by

his son, Charles XV., who united Swe

den and Norway, and reigned till 1872

A ROYAL POET.

genial to Oscar II. He is a poet,

nusician and a man of science. He has

dag contained some stirring passages

"I am deeply penetrated," said he

with the sense that the royal crown

which has fallen to me as heir, is not

ent to me for mere outer splendor;

rather, I know and admit that my

responsible, royal mission, of which

the crown is a symbol, has been laid

ipon me to promote the welfare of the

brother nations. May these words be

The task which fell upon his should-

ers was, indeed, one which might have

appalled a less intrepld soul. He had

to administer the Government of two

nations which had been artificially put

together in harness, and whose aims

and temper are as far apart as the

poles. He had to content against such

political foes as Ibsen and Bjornsen. The latter once actually challenged

the King to mortal combat. He had to

two in Sweden, one in Norway. There

has hardly been a day in his reign

when he did not need to remind himself

of his own anothegm-"A king must

nclinations of his character, however

egitimate, to the exigencles of poll-

AT HIS COUNTRY HOUSE.

Whenever he could, Oscar has sought

elief from the cares of public business

in his country house, in the Sound of Helsingborg. There, with his wife, the

beautiful and gifted Sophia of Nassau

and their four stalwart boys, he has led

the life of a studious country gentle-

man, working out problems in Arctic

navigation and writing verses on pas-toral themes. There they sit at an

open window, breathing the strong air

of the north, inhaling the summer breezes and letting the sea vapor fan

their brows. An awning covers a ver

anda, bordered with flowers bathed in

sunshine, from which a long stretch o

sca rolls under their eyes. Here the

King tells his family the old, strange

sagas of Sweden's past, and carries

them back to the days of Wodin and

the Northmen. He has a well-chosen

library, full of his favorite autnors

Here he loves to talk poetry and sci-

studying to be a painter, and proposes

aunt, the King's sister-Eugenie-is the

Lady Bountiful of Sweden; when she

to establish a studio at Paris.

brother of Oscar-Eugene-i

ence and legend with a guest.

r know how to subordinate all the

handle three Houses of Parliament-

ny motto? Brodrafolkeno Val!"

station of a simple burgher to that of

of a follower of the sea.

'tom the San Francisco Examiner

"Bilkins has just returned."

"Where has he been ?"

"To Monte Carlo to win enough to pay his wed ling expenses."

"And the wedding?" "Has been postponed for two years."-Life.

#### JERMYN.

Dempster, the evangelist, who, under he garb of an ex-Catholic, has been holding meetings at the Primitive Methodist church for the past week, made a sudden move out of town Wed-

Mrs. Frank Baker, of Cemetery street, is sick with the grip. Dean, the pugilist, who recently fought at Carbondale, while fooling with a friend on the East Side the other night disabled himself by fracturing one of the bones of his left leg. Mrs. David McChrone is seriously ill at her home on South Main street. The funeral of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Little took place yesterday. Interment was made in 'alvary cemetery, Mayfield.

Mr. John E. Kelly, of South Main street, had one of his fingers amoutated on Tuesday. He has been suffering for some time owing to a severe cut he re-ceived with a hatchet while at work. The doctors tried every means to save the member, but it was found neces-sary at last to amputate it.

Andrew Meehan, who has been very ill for the past few weeks, is re-covering rapidly and it is to be hoped he will in a short time be able to attend to his duties.

Mrs. Andrew Meehan, of Mayfield, moved into her Main street residence on Wednesday. Messrs, Frank Steele and Charles L.

Bell are in New York city purchasing goods for their proposed store. Mr. Bell has given up the idea of going to Alaska and instead will embark in the mercantile business

me which has experienced difficulty for the election of a chairman. Olyphant borough council has taken fourteen ballots and it still remain 6 to 6, and the members are worked up somewhat over the affair. In Jessup they have ten councilmen, and they also are in a deadlock. Jermyn council meets again tonight, and in all probability they will elect the different officers without any trouble, or at least it is hoped there will not be any difficulty. The council works in harmony and has always done so, and it can be depended that the members will not break the rule now The Misses Mace and Barber, of Peckville, spent Wednesday afternoon

the guest of Miss Josephine Davis, of the South Side. The Carbondale and Jermyn Whist players met in Jermyn Wednesday evening which resulted in the downfall of the visitors. Dr. Davis and Clarence Blakeslee will soon pass from the amateur to the professional class, Professor Davis, of Archbald, gave

Rev. Lynott, of Dunmore, vill officiate as pastor of Sacred Heart parish during the Hiness of the regular pastor. New cases of measles reported to the board of health are: A child of Mr. and Mrs. John Jay, a child of Mr. Joseph Morcom, a child of Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Minnick, a child of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Baker, a child of Mrs. Thomas Davis, a child of Mr. and Mrs. mer Criffiths.

Baptismal services were held yesters day afternoon in St. James' Episcopal Rishop Rullson, of the Central Epis-

opal diocese of Pennsylvania, will in a shore time confirm a large class of candidates in this town.

Yesterday afternoon Michael Conwhile driving a victous mule at the Eye Brow mines near Edgerton. was kicked in the face by the animal, Dr. Shields was called and found that no bone were broken, but his face was badly bruised and cut by the shoe.

# TAYLOR.

An entertainment will be given on the 22d of this month at the Calvary Baptist church under the auspices of Edward D. Davis' Sunday school class. An excellent programme is being prepared for the event.

At the meeting of the Presbyterian congregation on Sunday evening for the purpose of selecting a pastor, Rev. P. H. Brooks, a missionary of the Lackawanna Presbytery, was present, and presided over the meeting. There being two candidates balloted for Rev. L. F. Foster, of Auburn Theological college.

Mrs. Thomas Charles and Mrs. Williams, of Olyphant, visited friends in this town yesterday. Mrs. John Ludwig, of Scranton, visited Mr. and Mrs. John E. Evans, on Main street, yesterday.

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failed in obtaining from the Rigstad an appropriation for a workhouse which was badly needed, she sold her diamonds and put up the building. When the King saw it he cried: "But, Eu-genie, where on earth did you get the twenty years, and the story recited money to gratify your whim?"

When it was agreed to submit the Alabama controversy to arbitration, it was suggested by Great Britain that it should be left to a European sovereign, or to the pope, or to the emperor Brazil. The United States offered to leave it to the president of Mexico or Switzerland. An agreement was finally reached that several powers should choose each an arbitrator learned in the law, and that their joint verdict should be conclusive. The arbitrators were five in number and were chosen by the United States, Great Britain, Italy Switzerland and Brazil. It is this precedent which has been followed in the Venezuelan case.

#### ASSASSINATIONS OF RULERS. Crimes to Which There Is Greater Incitement in Europe Than Here.

Five attempts have been made against the life of Queen Victoria, one in 1849, two in 1842, one in 1849, and one in 1882. An attempt against the life of Francis Joseph of Austria was OUR COMPLETE LINE OF SPRING made in 1853, and one against the king of Italy in 1878. Three attempts were made against the life of Queen Isawhen the present sovereign ascended bella of Spain, three against Napoleon III when emperor of France, and three in 1861, in 1875 and in 1878, against the life of Wilhelm I of Germany. In the are not con- United States, where the crime of assassination is happily rare, few assaults have been made upon public written many books, some of which men in office, although two presidents tre as good as if they had not been have been shot down in Washington. written by a king. He wrote a drama Mr. Lincoln was assassinated in April in French, which has been played to 1865, and President Garfield in July full houses. He is a corresponding mem-1881. In the early days of the repubber of the Frankfort Academy of Sciences, His memoir of Charles XII lis, presidents were safe and deemeholds a high place in historical literasault, and many of the precautions ture. His inaugural address to the Rigstaken by recent presidents to protect

> to be unnecessary. Assassinations, in the United States as in other countries, are the outcome of periods of great political excitement. The sentiments of many persons are stirred almost to frenzy, and at such times some unbalanced extremist is led by the excitement to some violent act which in tranqui imes, probably, would not be even though of. In Europe the Incitement to assassination is much greater than many cases deprived of the opportunity to make known their grievances, but furthermore, the power of punishment rests with the executive head of the government. An application is made, perhaps, for the liberation of some accused person. On the executive de-volves the assent to or rejection of this request. In the popular resentment which follows for either the severity or the indulgence of the monarch, there may be an outbreak of a murderous character. In the United States th with the governor, not with the presdent, though in times of civil strife when martial law supercedes the civil law, the final appeal for elemency is made to the president.

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## THE BLUES.

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sad picture. It is usually this way :-She has been feeling "out of sorts' for some time; head has ached, and back also; has slept poorly; been quite nervous, and nearly fainted

once or

dizzy, and

twice; head

heart has beat very fast; then that bearing-down feeling. Her doctor says, "cheer up, you have dyspepsia; you'll be all right soon." But she doesn't get "all right." She grows worse day by day, till all at once she realizes that a distressing female complaint is established.

Her doctor has made a mistake. She has lost faith in him; hope vanishes; then comes the brooding, morbid, melancholy, everlasting BLUES. Her doctor, if he knew, should have told her and cured her, but he did not, and she was allowed to suffer. By chance she came across one of Mrs. Pinkham's books, and in it she found her very symptoms described and an explanation of what they meant. Then she wrote to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass., for advice, feeling that she was telling her troubles to a woman, Speedy relief followed, and vigorous health returned.

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